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FEEDBACK-RESISTANT HOMOSERINE TRANSSUCCINYLASES

## SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

## MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Supplemental to the Information Disclosure Statement filed May 9, 2005, Applicants are enclosing Form PTO-1449 together with one (1) document. This document was cited in the European Search Report. Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement, together with a Form PTO 1449, duly signed by Dr. Robert Bauer dated August 10, 2007.

The remaining references cited in the European Search Report were previously cited in Applicant's May 9, 2005 Information Disclosure Statement.

Because this Supplemental IDS is being filed subsequent to an Office Action, a check in the amount of \$180.00 is enclosed to cover the surcharge for the late filing of an IDS. Commissioner for Patents if hereby authorized to charge any additional payments or to credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 03-2468.

It is respectfully requested that the foregoing Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) be incorporated into the official file of the present patent application.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosures: Form PTO-1449 with one (1) document, Information Disclosure Statement and PTO Form 1449 signed by Dr. Robert Bauer

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: MAIL STOP AMENDMENT, Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA, on September 26, 2007.

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## Information Disclosure Statement

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir or Madam:

I, Robert Bauer, associated with the preparation and prosecution of the above-identified application, residing at Dianastraße 7, 82110 Germering, Germany, wish to call the attention of the Patent Examiner to the references enumerated on the enclosed PTO Form-1449.

I believe the document enumerated on the enclosed Form PTO-1449 and attached thereto, is cited in the enclosed European Search Report and may be material to the examination of the application.

Therefore, it is respectfully requested that the foregoing Information Disclosure Statement be considered by the Examiner and incorporated into the file of this application.

I wish to comment as follows concerning the prior art reference enumerated on PTO Form-1449:

CHATTOPADHYAY ET AL.: "Control of methionine biosynthesis in Escherichia coli K12: a closer study with analogue-resistant mutants", Journal of General Microbiology, 1991, Vol. 137, Pages 685 – 691, cited in the European Search Report, is already in English language.

Signed this Aday of August, 2007.

Dr. Robert Bauer

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